

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 4 of 39-12-05.3 of the North Dakota Century
2 Code, relating to weight limitations and the movement of agricultural products during harvest.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 4 of section 39-12-05.3 of the North Dakota
5 Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

6 4. The director, and local authorities, as to the highways under their respective
7 jurisdictions, may issue permits authorizing a specific motor vehicle to exceed the
8 weight limitations stated in subsections 1 and 2 by ten percent. The permits may not
9 provide for a gross weight in excess of one hundred five thousand five hundred
10 pounds [47854.00 kilograms]. The permits must provide only for the movement of
11 agricultural products ~~from the field of harvest to the point of initial storage site~~during
12 harvest, and for the collection and transport of solid wastes, during the period from
13 July fifteenth to December first, and for the general movement of products during the
14 period from December first to March seventh. The appropriate jurisdictional authority
15 shall establish an appropriate fee for the permits and direct how they shall be issued.
16 The highway patrol shall issue the permits authorized by the director.